

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	:	Larry Eugene West
App. No	:	10/723,168
Filed	:	November 26, 2003
For	:	INTEGRATED BIO-REACTOR MONITOR AND CONTROL SYSTEM
Examiner	:	Bowers, Nathan Andrew
Art Unit	:	1797
Conf #	:	5738

SUMMARY OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Interview Summary mailed June 11, 2008, Applicant submits:

Summary of Interview on page 2 of this paper.

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Attendees, Date and Type of Interview

Applicant's representative, Gregory A. Hermanson and Examiner Nathan Bowers met for an in-person interview on June 5, 2008, at the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Identification of Claims Discussed

The independent claims.

Identification of Prior Art Discussed

Applicant's representative and the Examiner discussed prior art Irwin, Cannon, and Zeitlin.

Proposed Amendments

No amendments were proposed prior to the interview.

Principal Arguments and Other Matters

The cited art, including Irwin, Cannon, and Zeitlin, does not teach or suggest all of the elements of the claims, for example, a utility tower capable of transmitting information of a condition of a bioreactor and providing physical services to the bioreactor.

Results of Interview

It was agreed that previously applied rejections will be withdrawn. Examiner Bowers indicated a further search and consideration will be necessary.

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REMARKS

Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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